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SUBJECT: ASSISTANCE WITH IMPORT PERMIT

1. REQUEST EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN APPLYING FOR IMPORT PERMIT FOR AMBASSADOR-DESIGNATE EDMONDSON'S CAT FROM SAG DIRECTOR OF VETERINARY SERVICES. PROBLEM HAS ARISEN DUE TO FACT THAT THERE IS INSUFFICIENT TIME FOR EDMONDSON TO MAIL APPLICATION TO DIRECTOR OF VETERINARY SERVICES AND RECEIVE PERMIT BACK PRIOR TO DEPARTURE FOR SOUTH AFRICA ON MAY 25. EDMONDSONS ARRANGING TO BRING CAT WITH THEM ON SAME FLIGHT. VETERINARY CERTIFICATE IN HAND.

2. ADM COUNS BARTH IS REQUESTED TO COMPLETE "APPLICATION TO IMPORT ANIMALS OR ANIMAL PRODUCTS INTO REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA", AVAILABLE FROM DIRECTOR OF VETERINARY SERVICES, ON AMBASSADOR'S BEHALF. FOLLOWING ANSWERS CORRESPOND TO QUESTIONS ON APPLICATION:

--(1) WILLIAM B. EDMONDSON, C/O AMERICAN EMBASSY, PRETORIA

--(2) ONE CAT

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--(3) CAT ORIGINATED IN CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, AND HAS BEEN RESIDING IN UNITED STATES SINCE OCTOBER 1976.

--(4) DULLES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, WASHINGTON, D.C.

--(5) JAN SMUTS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, JOHANNESBURG

--(6) PET

--(7) C/O U.S. EMBASSY, PRETORIA

--(8) MAY 25, 1978

3. SOUTH AFRICAN EMBASSY ADVISES THAT NORMAL PROCESSING
TIME FOR IMPORT PERMIT IS ABOUT SIX WEEKS. EDMONDSONS
WILL APPRECIATE ANYTHING THAT CAN BE DONE TO OBTAIN PERMIT
PRIOR TO ARRIVAL MAY 26. VANCE

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